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- [c9] 9. The method of claim 4 wherein a masking device is provided adjacent an end portion of each of the upper surfaces of the first and second articles.
- [c10] 10. The method of claim 9 wherein at least one of the masking devices has a cutout portion extending away from the end portion of the upper surface.
- [c11] 11. The method of claim 4 wherein the first article has a first thickness and wherein the first distance is about two times the first thickness.
- [c12] 12. The method of claim 4 wherein the metal deposit has at least a portion that extends above the at least one of the upper surfaces.
- [c13] 13. The method of claim 12 further comprises the step (e) of grinding the metal deposit to form a portion of the deposit that is essentially coplanar with at least the upper surface of one of the articles.
- [c14] 14. The method of claim 1 wherein the second article is not a spray formed article.
- [c15] 15. The method of claim 14 wherein the second article comprises a securing member.
- [c16] 16. The method of claim 15 wherein the second article is located on the first article in step (b).
- [c17] 17. The method of claim 1 wherein each of the articles have an interface surface that substantially cooperates with each other.
- [c18] 18. A composite article formed by the process of claim 1.
- [c19] 19. A lay-up tool molding member formed by the process of claim 15.
- [c20] 20. A composite article comprising:
  - a first spray-formed article;
  - a second article adjacent the first article; and
  - a metal deposit extending between and connecting the first and second articles.

- [c21] 21. The composite article of claim 20 wherein the second article comprises a spray formed article.
- [c22] 22. The composite article of claim 20 wherein each of the articles have surfaces that contact each other.
- [c23] 23. The composite article of claim 22 wherein each of the articles have angled surfaces that cooperate to form a cavity, with at least a portion of the deposit being disposed within the cavity.
- [c24] 24. The composite article of claim 23 further comprising, a reinforcing member, with the deposit extending between and connecting the first and second members and the reinforcing member.
- [c25] 25. The composite article of claim 20 wherein the second article comprises a securing member.
- [c26] 26. The composite article of claim 20 wherein each of the articles have an interface surface that substantially cooperates with each other.